

Amendments to the Claims:

Please add new claims 38-39.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a gum resin, wherein said gum resin comprises benzoin; b) at least one topically acceptable pharmacologically active agent other than said gum resin that is effective as a treatment for ameliorating symptoms of a disease of skin or a mucous membrane of a mammal, wherein said pharmacologically active agent can remain in contact with said skin or said mucous membrane greater than 6 hours without toxic effects to said mammal; and c) a topically acceptable volatile solvent for said gum resin and said pharmacologically active agent.
2. (Canceled).
3. (Original) The composition according to claim 1, wherein said topically acceptable volatile solvent comprises ethanol.
4. (Original) The composition according to claim 3, wherein said topically acceptable volatile solvent is ethanol and comprises about 60% to 90% of said composition.
5. (Original) The composition according to claim 1 wherein said pharmacologically active agent is an antimicrobial agent.
6. (Original) The composition according to claim 5 wherein said antimicrobial agent is an anti-fungal agent.
7. (Original) The composition according to claim 6, wherein said anti-fungal agent is clotrimazole.

8. (Original) The composition according to claim 7, wherein said clotrimazole is present as 1% of said composition.
9. (Original) The composition according to claim 1 wherein said pharmacologically active agent is a steroidal agent.
10. (Original) The composition according to claim 9, wherein said steroidal agent is betamethasone.
11. (Original) The composition according to claim 10, wherein said betamethasone is present as 0.025-0.05% of the composition.
12. (Original) The composition according to claim 1, wherein said pharmacologically active agent comprises both an antimicrobial agent and a steroidal agent.
13. (Original) The composition according to claim 1, further comprising a penetration enhancer.
14. (Original) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a benzoin; b) clotrimazole; and c) ethanol.

Claims 15-26 (Canceled).

27. (Original) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a benzoin; b) 1% clotrimazole; and c) 60% ethanol.
28. (Canceled).
29. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 5 wherein said antimicrobial agent is an anti-viral agent.
30. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 5 wherein said antimicrobial agent is an anti-bacterial agent.

31. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 30 wherein said antibacterial agent is an antibiotic.
32. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 1 wherein said pharmacological agent is a hormone.
33. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 1 wherein said pharmacological agent is an anti-histamine.
34. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 6, wherein said anti-fungal agent is terbinafine.
35. (Previously Presented) The composition according to claim 33, wherein said terbinafine is present as 1% of said composition.
36. (Previously Presented) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a benzoin; b) terbinafine; and c) ethanol.
37. (Previously Presented) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a benzoin; b) 1% terbinafine; and c) 60% ethanol.
38. (New) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a benzoin; b) ciclopirox olamine; and c) ethanol.
39. (New) A pharmacological composition comprising: a) a benzoin; b) 1% ciclopirox olamine; and c) 60% ethanol.